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## JPMorgan Chase & Co. Continues Investment in Credential Engine

January 3, 2019 (**Washington, D.C.**)—JPMorgan Chase & Co. has announced their continued support of Credential Engine with a multi-year 1.2 million dollar investment to advance the organization’s work. JPMorgan Chase & Co., a founding investor in Credential Engine, understands the value transparent and comprehensive credential data brings to education and workforce systems and is committed to supporting Credential Engine’s strategies to further scale up their work.

Over the next two years, Credential Engine will utilize the funding to expand state and regional efforts as well as further develop user applications. Currently, Credential Engine is active in nine states across the country as well as in the Los Angeles region where they are working with local partners to collect and connect credential data to help partners meet educational and economic demand. Credential Engine will look to invest in additional areas to not only to reveal the credential data they need to make strategic local investments, but connect them to current partners as part of a growing peer network. The organization will also leverage funding to further develop data applications that businesses, education providers, policymakers, and nonprofits alike will be able to use to inform their work. Building upon the existing “bulk upload tool” Credential Engine has created to simplify the Credential Registry publishing process, the organization will construct customized publishing tools for key projects as well as design marketing, outreach, and recruitment applications for targeted partners such as certification bodies, licensing boards, community colleges, and HBCUs.

“Credential Engine is delighted to receive the generous support of JPMorgan Chase & Co.,” said Executive Director, Scott Cheney. “With this grant, we look forward to continuing to build a network of states, regions, education and workforce partners, and nonprofits dedicated to building a transparent credential marketplace that empowers everyone with the data they need to make informed decisions and build successful pathways.”

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### About

[Credential Engine](https://www.credentialengine.org) is a non-profit whose mission is to create credential transparency, reveal the credential marketplace, increase credential literacy, and empower everyone to make more informed decisions about credentials and their value. Credential Engine is also supported by Lumina Foundation, JPMorgan Chase & Co., Walmart Giving, Northrop Grumman Foundation, ECMC Foundation, and Microsoft.

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